

# THE WRANGELL SENTINEL

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## Whoop-la! We're Going To Have A Chamber Of Commerce Once Again

### 60,000 Ft. of Lumber For Port Conclusion

G. S. Forester tows in old Port Admiral Sunday. Lumber and planer shavings loaded for Wiese.

The G. S. Forester, of Ketchikan, with an old Wrangell landmark, the Port Admiral, in tow came in Sunday morning to load sixty thousand feet of lumber and several hundred sacks of planer shavings for the E. Wiese cold-storage interests at Port Conclusion. The loading was finished Monday and the Forester and her charge went on her way Tuesday.

Ten years ago the Port Admiral lay on the beach of Etolin Bay her rigging a gymnasium and her hull a swimming tank for those who are today the young men of Wrangell. Now she has been converted with a cross-cut saw into a docile barge hauled here and there by the modern motor boat.

### Businessmen Called To Arms Re-organize Chamber of Commerce

Body that has been inactive for years will again take up unofficial civic affairs of Wrangell. Town has been too prosperous and tranquil.

#### Some Milestones From The "Stikine Trail."

Even peace and prosperity palls the palate of Wrangellites. For five years the resources and conveniences of the town have been multiplying, so much so that the Chamber of Commerce organized in 1902 was completely forgotten when its immediate force was not sadly needed. Yet with every indicator pointing to a continued prosperity, the businessmen gathered at the Town Hall Tuesday and all signed up for membership in a re-organization of that booster body, the Chamber of Commerce of Wrangell, Alaska.

#### Obedied That Impulse.

Since the latest strike was reported in the Cassiar, The SENTINEL has held that the Stikine is the

proper route for stampedeers to take. Businessmen of Wrangell have believed the same, especially since the strike has been located, and have expected to see the stampeder direct his steps this way. Some have even made individual effort to exploit the Stikine route. But, on the Princess May, Tuesday, over 100 mushers "passed up" the Stikine route to go to the new diggings via Atlin, B. C. Then everybody obeyed that impulse — to make united effort to give the town its due — with the result that about thirty-five businessmen have signed for membership in the re-organized Club.

#### At the Meeting Tuesday

After Mr. Gingrass called the meeting to order he stated the object and called for nominations for officers. J. E. Worden was elected Chairman and H. F. Dawes Secretary as the temporary officers. Mr. McCormack and Mr. Grant, in response to request from the chair, gave short talks emphasizing the good work of the old organization. A motion to re-organize was carried and after a committee had been chosen to look after the immediate needs of the club, the meeting was adjourned to 8:30 Thursday evening when permanent officers for the organization will be regularly elected. For the organization in short order of a commercial club, which the SENTINEL has advocated the past eighteen months, the Ed doffs his hat to F. E. Gingrass.

#### A Few Milestones.

All the information as to the the richness of the strike is so various and confusing that it is not possible to even guess at it. The location, however, has been practically run to earth and is believed to be at the head of the Teslin River, twenty-five miles east of the Telegraph to Teslin Trail where it crosses the Nahlin River. The location as given above is 115 miles from Telgeraph Creek, 90 of which are on the trail cut at the time of the Klondike strike and over which freight was packed in 1898. Atlin is less than 200 miles from Telegraph, so if, as an Atlin booster says, "Silver Creek lies 150 miles east or southeast of Atlin" it must be nearer Telegraph Creek, which on account of difficult freighting in the Nakina River region, is the base from which supplies are

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### NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the regular election for the Town of Wrangell, Alaska, will be held on Tuesday, April 1st, 1913, and at which time there will be elected seven (7) Common Councilmen who will serve for one year and one member of the Wrangell School Board (a Treasurer) who will serve for a period of three years.

The polling place for the municipal election will be in the Council Building, Church Street, Wrangell, Alaska and will be open at 9 o'clock A. M. and remain open until 7:30 o'clock P. M. of said day.

By order of the Common Council of the Town of Wrangell, Alaska, made on the 6th day of March, 1913.

J. E. WORDEN,  
Town Clerk.

The launch Fearless, with D. N. McDonald, C. P. Cole and J. J. McTague as crew, left Tuesday for Juneau.

### Small Titanics

#### Watch For Ice

The numerous small power boats plying the waters of Stikine Straits must needs keep a sharp lookout for ice these days for the increasing tides have loosened the ice at the mouth of the Stikine and is being carried into the channels by tidal and river currents. The Glenora, coming in from Holbrook last week, struck a small piece receiving a bad shock but happily no damage. Other narrow escapes are reported by anxious skippers.

### Jefferson Passengers

The Jefferson left Ketchikan at nine o'clock this morning with the following passengers for Wrangell: Mr and Mrs W. J. Neill, Chas. Dinning, E. Purdy and P. Mariano. She should reach here by 4 o'clock.

A ten-pound boy was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Demmert, of Shakan.



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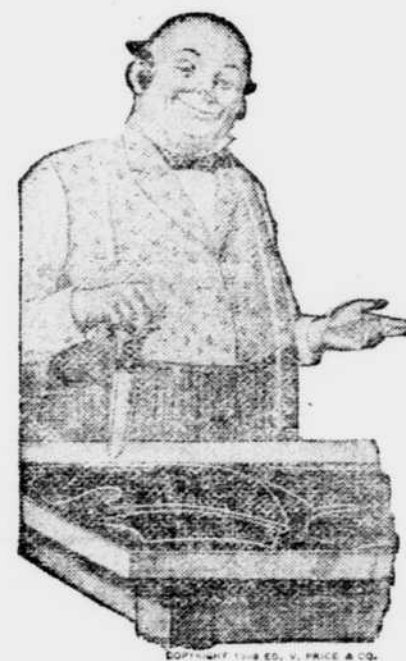
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# THE WRANGELL SENTINEL

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## The Goldseeker's Dream

Over the sea the mountains lie,  
Shrouded in purple haze;  
Over the sea my treasures lie  
Under auroral rays.  
Folded in by those mountains high  
Shrouded in purple haze;  
There in the snow my treasures lie  
Under auroral rays.

Over the sea the sun will rise  
After the winter cold;  
The dazzling peaks will pierce  
the skies.  
Flooded with light of gold.

Over the sea the streams will flow,  
The verdant vales unfold;  
And on their vernal plain will grow  
My wealth of burnished gold.  
And just as the gleaming peaks arise  
Out of the purple haze:  
So shall my treasure greet my eyes  
Aglow in sunbright rays.

## ELEGY

No more upon the quiet sea  
He guides his light canoe;  
Which leaves a long and shining line  
Across the waters blue.

No more he ranges in the woods  
Nor hears the mystic flow  
Of song among the talking pines  
Of many moons ago.

Nor in their dusky solitudes  
Elusive forms he sees;  
His spirits do not longer hold  
Communion with the breeze.

His fire is out upon the beach,  
And gone the pictured tree.  
The village now is desolate,  
All clothed in mystery.

A wood conceals the winding trail,  
No sign on hill or stream  
Is left to tell us that he lived—  
His life is as a dream.

For small his skill to mark for us  
The dear familiar spot;  
Like mist upon the mountain brow  
He was and he is not.

Yet he was lord of lake and wood  
Before the Paleface came,  
But now the forest knows him not,  
The camp knows not his name.

All silently he passed beyond  
The dim and misty bars  
Between eternity and this—  
To dwell among the stars.

—E. C. ENGSTROM.

**Repairing Leaks in Range Boilers.**  
After replacing two hot water boilers on the plumber's advice, because the leaks could not be repaired, we decided to find some means of stopping a pinhole leak in the third boiler, writes a correspondent of Popular Mechanics. We made a successful repair by driving a taper punch into the hole just far enough to adroit the point end of a one-eighth inch pipe tap. After tapping the hole a one-eighth inch plug was turned in tightly after thoroughly covering the threads with white lead.

**Safety Tips on Chair Rockers.**  
Some rocking chairs are so constructed that when the person occupying it gives a hard tilt backward the chair tips over or dangerously near it. A rubber tipped screw turned into the under side of each rocker near the rear end will prevent the chair from tipping too far back.

## DELINQUENT TAX LIST FOR 1912.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of Section 20 of Ordinance No. 12 of the Town of Wrangell, Alaska, duly passed and approved on the 4th day of August, 1904, providing for the publication of the Delinquent Tax List of the said Town; the following taxes having become delinquent, the same are now published as follows:

Anderson, P.	1.50
Bone, Mrs. Sam	1.10
Charlie Q U	1.50
Cooney, Chas.	2.25
Fletcher, Wm.	3.00
King George	.30
Konk, Mrs.	9.00
Kelly, M.	6.00
Knudsen, Julia	3.00
Lott Chas.	3.00
Lott, Mr.	7.50
Lewis, Dave	6.00
Marshall, M. C.	3.75
Moore, Fred	.75
Mitchell, Jesse C.	.75
Nichelson, May	3.00
Reddy, Flossie	3.75
Rosenthal, Max	3.25
Watson, W.	2.25

Dated at Wrangell, Alaska, this 22nd day of January, 1913.

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Collector of the Town of Wrangell,  
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# News of Local Interest

The Ida May towed in Sales' pile driver from Pat's Creek Sunday. During the big tides of this week she will be used for foundation work and wharf repairs in town.

Oscar B. Case, who has been head type sticker in the SENTINEL office the past winter months, has accepted a position on the Alaska as fireman and the Ed is promoted again to the high stool.

The Kennebec, Corona, Beaver, Duckland and Halleys' were in port Sunday.

Dr. Pryer and party, from Petersburg, were in Sunday morning on the Doctor's launch, the NUX.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mason and sons Julius and Colonel came in from Mitkof Sunday evening with their new boat, a 35 ft. Hand V-bottom constructed during the winter months at their home in the Wrangell Narrows. Master Col. who is chief engineer of the new craft, while on the trial trip got the thumb of his left hand into the gears of the engine and the trip to Wrangell was made principally for repairs—for the thumb.

Notices have been posted for a caucus meeting of the citizens of Wrangell for the purpose of nominating candidates for Councilmen and Treasurer of the School Board to be voted upon at the April election. The meeting will be at the Town Hall and will be called to order at 8:30.

S. LaBounty, Dr. Shurick and Donald Sinclair returned from the south on the Al-Ki Saturday.

SPIRELLA Corsets—Mrs. Oscar Carlson, Agent.

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Clerk J. E. Worden  
Treasurer F. Matheson

### U. S. OFFICIALS.

Commissioner Wm. G. Thomas  
Deputy Marshal Wm. F. Schnabel  
Col. Customs F. E. Bronson  
Asst. Fish & Game W'd'n F. H. Gray  
Postmaster J. E. Worden

For professional and tradespeople see advertising columns.

The keel has been laid at Fletcher's shop for Commodore Johansen's new flagship.

Pete Iverson's new V-bottom boat is scheduled to slide into the bay at high tide today.

Boat lumber for Dr Dawes' new cruiser is expected up on the first boat.

H. J. Palmer took passage on the Al-Ki for Seattle.

Wm. Foster, of Telegraph Creek arrived in Wrangell Sunday.

Chas. Roos is running a ferry to the Stikine these days. Yesterday he took H. P. O'Farrell and a crew of four men to the ice and brought back A. E. Beltry, Wm. Strong, W. M. Ogilvie, T. H. Cunningham and others, who had mushed down from Telegraph.

Lots of improvements have been started on the waterfront this week. Dr. Shurick and A. Lemieux have crews working on new foundations.

Demmert Bros' new boat will be brought in to Wrangell in about three weeks for installation of the big Imperial engine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Leonard, Miss Mrie Raymond, P. Loftus and Robt. Zeike were the passengers in on the Dan yesterday.

E. E. Noble has secured the contract for building Dr. Emery's residence and will commence work at once.

Messrs. Woodbridge and Lowery came in Monday from their Red Bay marble claims and will take the first boat south to Seattle.

### St. Philip's Church.

Next Sunday is Palm Sunday. The theme of the service will be "Is the Master Your King?" After the service there will be a special song and picture service in the Gymnasium. During Holy Week there will be special services on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

### Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who so kindly aided and sympathized with us in the loss of our beloved brother.

MR. AND MRS. F. E. SMITH  
MR. AND MRS. M. J. WADDING

### Where Love Is.

A little girl was lost on the street and was brought into the police station. The officers tried in every way to learn her name. Finally one of the officers said:  
"Tell me, little girl, what name does your mother call your father?"  
"Why," responded the child innocently, "she don't call him any names, she likes him."—Youth's Companion

## SCHOOL SUPPLIES

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## DEVICE MAKES DUMB TALK.

Remarkable invention of a Man Who Lost His Larynx.

The ancient proverb, "Necessity is the mother of invention," was never better exemplified than in the remarkable case of Tadeo Pereda, once a saddler in Almansa, near Carthagena.

Pereda awoke one day slightly hoarse, and his affliction became steadily worse until finally his breathing became seriously affected, and his wife accompanied him to Madrid to consult a specialist.

Dr. Tapia made a lengthy examination of the patient and communicated his impressions to the wife much after this fashion: "Your husband has a cancer in the larynx. Without an operation he will surely die. If he is operated upon we can save his life, but he will remain dumb, because it will be necessary to remove the vocal chords."

Surgeal intervention was decided upon, and Dr. Tapia proceeded to remove the larynx, employing Perier's method. Thus two operations were performed, one in October, 1910, and one in November.

The despair of the poor fellow on recognizing that he had been deprived of speech knew no bounds, and he began to display symptoms of dementia. Dr. Tapia then provided him with an apparatus invented by Gluck, the well known German laryngologist, with which it would be possible to articulate. The patient tried this for a long time and finally managed to speak a little, but always at the expense of great fatigue.

Pereda was not to be beaten, however, and he began to turn the matter over in his mind and eventually evolved a rude apparatus which he afterward managed to perfect. In this condition both patient and apparatus were presented to the Royal Academy of Medicine by Dr. Tapia, and to the surprise of all present the inventor patient actually sang some excerpts from a well known Spanish opera.

Since then the apparatus has been further improved, and a few weeks ago before a distinguished assembly the patient himself read a long paper giving an account of his illness and subsequent cure.

The fundamental idea of the invention consists in introducing sound into the mouth by means of an India rubber tube which is in communication with the orifice in the neck through which breathing is effected. Once within the mouth the sound becomes modulated by the action of the tongue, teeth and lips, thus forming intelligible expressions in the usual way.

### A Great Fuel Consumer.

More fuel is consumed in the city of Pittsburgh and its immediate vicinity and more coal is shipped to and through the Pittsburgh district than in any other district in the world, according to Edward W. Parker of the United States geological survey. With a population of about one-ninth of that of Greater New York the consumption of coal alone in Pittsburgh is nearly equal to that of the much larger city. Greater New York consumed in 1911 approximately 19,000,000 short tons, and Pittsburgh used about 16,500,000 short tons. But Pittsburgh consumes several million tons of coke and considerable quantities of natural gas, which, added to the coal consumption, gives that city a good lead over New York as a fuel consumer.

### Economical Reflectors.

Reflectors that may be attached to any electric light, called asymmetrical reflectors, may now be obtained. Their purpose is to throw the bulk of the light from the lamp in one direction. They are especially useful in illuminating long halls, for throwing light into closets, in the bathroom for shaving or wherever more light is needed in a certain spot. Where such reflectors are employed a smaller lamp may be used, thus cutting down the cost of current.

### The Suffragettes.

Western women think suffrage tame in the east. Hope they don't admire the London brand.—New York American.

Woman suffrage now has got as far east as Michigan. All of the ten states in which women now have the right to vote are in the west. It isn't any use to talk to the suffragettes about the wise men of the east.—Boston Globe.

### Tales of Cities.

Denver claims to be the healthiest city in the United States if not in the world.

St. Paul expects more than \$15,000,000 will be expended there in 1913 on new business and residential buildings.

The city of Athens presents a marked improvement during late years. The principal streets have been asphalted, while many others have been tar coated. Another great improvement is the new electric tramways.

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troubled with might be prevented by the  
proper care of BRUISES and CUTS. We  
have the "DOPE," you have the "DUST,"  
let's get acquainted.

**Wrangell Drug Company**

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packed to within 60 miles of Atlin.  
A telegram was received by F.  
Matheson Saturday from the Re-  
corder for the district in which  
Silver Creek lies and read as fol-  
lows: "Three hundred five claims  
recorded on four creeks including  
one hundred seven on Silver  
Creek."

### CRAIG SPECIALS

Sam Bergman, of Ketchikan, is  
the new bookkeeper for the West  
Coast Trading Co.

The West Coast Rait Company  
has supplied nine halibut boats  
with bait this week.

The steamboat Independent, of  
the halibut fleet, came in for bait  
last week.

The Northland Development Co.,  
that has been opening up a copper  
mine at Big Harbor, about ten  
miles from Craig, had two expert  
mining men looking over the prop-  
erty last week.

Dr. Ballance is suffering from  
la grippe. No one seemed to be  
ill so he had to start the fashion.

The herring are coming in more  
than ever. The gulls, seals and  
sea lions are living fine off them.

The Fish Egg Lodge, No. 1206,  
L. O. O. M. held its annual elec-  
tion of officers on Sunday evening  
March 9 and the following were el-  
ected: Past Dictator, F. W.  
Thompson; Dictator, E. H. Miller  
Prelate, W. D. MacMillan; Vice-  
Dictator, S. V. Blake; Secretary,  
E. W. Ramsey; Treasurer, J. H.  
Hall; Sergeant at Arms, E. R.  
Snyder; Guards, M. Zacknich and  
J. Barnett; Trustees, B. Snyder,  
D. Mossey and T. Butler.

**Where She Parted From Paul.**  
A certain old lady was arguing  
strongly for woman's rights in the way  
of preaching when some one attempt-  
ed to put her down with a text from  
St. Paul. "Ah," said she, "that's where  
Paul and I differ!"—Household Words.

**Language From the Bathroom.**  
"I wonder what's provoked papa  
now?"  
"Oh, nothing much. I just put a tube  
of sister's oil paints in place of his tube  
of tooth paste."—Browning's Maga-  
zine

**Lepers and the Law.**  
The Norman-English laws enacted  
that a leper had neither power to sue  
in any court nor to inherit property.  
During his lifetime he was permitted  
to enjoy the usufruct of any property  
in his possession at the time he was  
"found guilty," so to speak, of leprosy,  
but all rights of disposition over it he  
lost.

### ITALY'S WATER POWER.

Alpine Glaciers Furnish a Source of  
Light and Heat.

Enormous water power improvements  
carried out in Italy during the past few  
years have gone a long way toward  
making up for the lack of coal which  
handicaps the Italian peninsula as an  
industrial region. Of these the Ada-  
mello plant, completed within the past  
two years and supplying light and power  
to Milan and the province of Brescia,  
is considered one of the most ingeniously  
designed water power plants built  
within recent years.

In the case of this plant it may liter-  
ally be said that ice does the work of  
fire, as the water supply generating the  
power springs from a glacier high in  
the Rhaetian Alps.

From the head of the glacier torrent  
known as the Adame the engineers  
have built a channel partly through  
and partly over a mile of steep moun-  
tain country. This channel or intake  
empties into Lago d'Arno, a deep lit-  
tle lake walled in by sheer cliffs. Out  
from this reservoir the water, after  
penetrating the mountain wall through  
a tunnel, falls about a thousand yards  
through a solidly built pipe line and  
comes out at the power house. A sec-  
ond drop and power plant are located  
further down.

### Artificial Milk.

Synthetic milk is the latest product  
of the chemical laboratory. Several  
eminent scientists, including Sir Wil-  
liam Crookes, examined and tasted  
cowless milk at a demonstration in  
London recently and pronounced it pal-  
atable. The fluid, which is the discov-  
ery of three German chemists, is made  
at Frankfurt on the Main. It is the  
same color as the animal liquid, and  
the inventors claim that it is more  
nourishing and more easily assimilated  
than the cow's product and nontuber-  
culous. The method of manufacture is  
kept secret, but it is composed entirely  
of vegetable ingredients, digested by  
machinery instead of by the cow, and  
is said to keep sweet far longer than  
ordinary milk. Its strength, it is said,  
can be standardized for the family, in-  
fant or invalid.

## SHIP CHANDLERY

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